

NOTICE OF RULE ADOPTION—FINAL RUL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOLUTION OFFICE OF MARINE FISHERIES



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Specific Legal Authority authorizing the promulgation of Rule: Mississippi Code Ann. § 49-15-15, Administrative Procedures Act, § 25-43-1.101 et seq.

Reference to Rules repealed, amended or suspended by the Proposed Rule: No rules have been repealed or suspended. Previous Title 22 Part 7 has been amended to include regulations on set pole and line fishing. Defines set pole and line gear with exceptions, requires fishermen to attend their gear, limits number of hooks to one per pole and limits the number of set poles and line to 10 per fisherman.

Date Rule Proposed: September 17, 2009

Effective Date of Rule: November 20 2009

Signature and/Title of Person Submitting Rule for Filing

Explanation of the Purpose of the Proposed Rule and the reason(s) for proposing the rule: TITLE 22 – MISSISSIPPI DEPARMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES PART 7 REGULATIONS TO PROVIDE SIZE LIMITS AND BAG LIMITS ON CERTAIN FISH SPECIES AND TO PREVENT SALE OF SEAFOOD BY RECREATIONAL FISHERMEN. Title 22 Part 7 has been amended to limit set pole and line fishing for navigational safety reasons.

The Agency Rule Making Record for this rule including any written comments received during the comment period

and the record of any oral proceeding is available for public inspection by contacting the Agency at the above address. An oral proceeding was held on this rule: Date: Time: Place: X An oral proceeding was not held on this rule. The Agency has considered the written comments and the presentations made in any oral proceedings, and X This rule as adopted is without variance from the proposed rule. This rule as adopted differs from the proposed rule as there are minor editorial changes which affect the form rather than the substance of the rule. The rule as adopted differs from the proposed rule. The differences however are: Within the scope of the matters in the Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption, the logical outgrowth of the contents of the Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption and the comments submitted in response thereto, and The Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption provided fair warning that the outcome of the proposed rule adoption could be the rule in question. The entire text of the Proposed Rule including the text of any rule being amended or changed is attached.

, Executive Director

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